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FRIDAY, JULY 22, 2005

Fi	rst Vote of The Week	Last Vote Predicted
Mo	onday: 6:30 p.m.	Friday p.m. ???

Legislative Program - 51600 | Floor Information - 57400 | Whip Information - 53130

*** SEVERAL IMPORTANT BILLS AND MOTIONS ARE SCHEDULED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION NEXT WEEK, INCLUDING THE CAFTA BILL. THE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP HAS INDICATED THEY WILL STAY INTO THE WEEKEND, IF NECESSARY, TO COMPLETE THAT BILL. THIS WILL BE AN EXTREMELY CLOSE VOTE, AND ATTENDANCE IS CRITICAL. PLEASE CALL THE WHIP'S OFFICE IF, FOR ANY REASON, A MEMBER ANTICIPATES NOT BEING IN ATTENDANCE.

The Republican Leadership has announced the following program for the week of July 25, 2005:

MONDAY, JULY 25, 2005

The House will meet at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

Suspensions (14 bills):

- 1) H.J.Res. 59 Expressing the sense of Congress with respect to the establishment of an appropriate day for the commemoration of the women suffragists who fought for and won the right of women to vote in the United States (*Rep. Berkley Government Reform*)
- **2) H.Con.Res. 181** Supporting the goals and ideals of National Life Insurance Awareness Month (*Rep. Biggert Government Reform*)
- **3) H.Res. 329** Honoring former President William Jefferson Clinton on the occasion of his 59th birthday (*Rep. Maloney Government Reform*)
- **4) H.Res. 289** Supporting the goals and ideals of National Health Center Week in order to raise awareness of health services provided by community, migrant, public housing, and homeless health centers (*Rep. Davis {IL} Government Reform*)
- **5) H.Res. 294** Supporting the goals of "A Day of Commemoration of the Great Upheaval" (Rep. Boustany Government Reform)
- **H.R. 2977** To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 306 2nd Avenue in Brockway, Montana, as the "Paul Kasten Post Office Building" (Rep. Rehberg Government Reform)
- 7) H.R. 2894 To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 102 South Walters Avenue in Hodgenville, Kentucky, as the "Abraham Lincoln Birthplace Post Office Building" (Rep. Lewis {KY} Government Reform)
- 8) S. 904 To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1560 Union Valley Road in West Milford, New Jersey, as the "Brian P. Parrello Post Office Building" (Sen. Lautenberg Government Reform)
- 9) S. 775 To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 123 W. 7th Street in Holdenville, Oklahoma, as the "Boone Pickens Post Office" (Sen. Inhofe Government Reform)
- **10) S. 571** To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1915 Fulton Street in Brooklyn, New York, as the "Congresswoman Shirley A. Chisholm Post Office Building" (Sen. Schumer Government Reform)
- **11) H.R. 3339** To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2061 South Park Avenue in Buffalo, New York, as the "James T. Molloy Post Office Building" (Rep. Higgins Government Reform)
- **12) H.R. 1797** Spokane Tribe of Indians of the Spokane Reservation Grand Coulee Dam Equitable Compensation Settlement Act (*Rep. McMorris Resources*)
- **13) H.Res. 308** Supporting the goals of National Marina Day and urging marinas continue providing environmentally friendly gateways to boating (Rep. Dicks Transportation & Infrastructure)
- **14) H.Res. 376** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Federal Trade Commission should investigate the publication of the video game "Grand Theft Auto: San Andreas" to determine if the publisher intentionally deceived the Entertainment Software Ratings Board to avoid an "Adults-Only" rating (Rep. Upton Energy & Commerce)

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TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2005

The House will convene at 9:00 a.m. for morning hour and 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

Motion to go to Conference on H.R. 2361 - Interior Appropriations Bill for FY06. Democratic Motion to Instruct.

Motion to go to Conference on H.R. 2985 – Legislative Branch Appropriations Bill for FY06. Democratic Motion to Instruct.

Motion to go to Conference on H.R. 2360 – Homeland Security Appropriations Bill for FY06. Democratic Motion to Instruct.

Suspensions (2 bills):

- 1) H.R. 3200 Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance Enhancement Act of 2005 (Rep. Miller {FL} Energy & Commerce)
- 2) H.R. 3283 United States Trade Rights Enforcement Act (Rep. English Ways & Means)

H.R. 525 - Small Business Health Fairness Act of 2005 (Rep. Johnson {TX} - Education & the Workforce) (Subject to a Rule)

H.R. 22 - Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act (Rep. McHugh - Government Reform) (Subject to a Rule)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 2005 AND THE BALANCE OF THE WEEK

On Wednesday and Thursday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business. On Friday, the House will meet at 9:00 a.m. for legislative business.

Suspensions (4 bills):

- H.R. 3204 State High Risk Pool Funding Extension Act of 2005 (Rep. Shadegg Energy & Commerce)
- 2) S. 1395 Controlled Substances Export Reform Act of 2005 (Sen. Hatch Energy & Commerce)
- **3) S. 544** Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2005 (Sen. Jeffords Energy & Commerce)
- **S. 45** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to lift the patient limitation on prescribing drug addiction treatments by medical practitioners in group practices (Sen. Levin Energy & Commerce).
- H.R. 5 Medical Malpractice Bill (Rep. Gingrey Judiciary) (Subject to a Rule)

H.R. 3045 - Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (Rep. DeLay - Ways & Means) (Subject to a Rule)

Possible consideration of H.R. 2355 - "Health Care Choice Act"

Possible consideration of the Transportation Authorization Conference Report

Possible consideration of the Energy Conference Report

Possible consideration of the Conference Report on H.R. 2361 - Interior Appropriations Bill for FY06

Possible consideration of the Conference Report on H.R. 2985 – Legislative Branch Appropriations Bill for FY06

Possible consideration of the Conference Report on H.R. 2360 – Homeland Security Appropriations Bill for FY06

- *Conference Reports may be brought up at any time.
- *Motions to go to Conference should they become available.
- *Possible Motions to Instruct Conferees.